Hearing Outcomes Subcommittee No. 3 Upon Adjournment of Session, Thursday, April 19, 2007

Vote-Only Agenda

5180 Department of Social Services

Vote-Only Issue 1: Continuation of Gresher v. Anderson Court Order

Action: Approved as budgeted.

Vote: 3-0

Vote-Only Issue 2: Continuing Education Online

Action: Approved as budgeted.

Vote: 3-0

Vote-Only Issue 3: Child Care Facilities – Parental Notification

Action: Approved as budgeted.

Vote: 3-0

Vote-Only Issue 4: Health and Care Facilities: Background Checks

Action: Approved as budgeted.

Vote: 3-0

Discussion Agenda

5180 Department of Social Services (DSS)

 DSS Issue 1: Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Program (SSI/SSP) and Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI)

Action: Approved \$171.6 million General Fund for the revised SSP COLA of 3.7 percent and pass-through of \$34.4 million for the federal SSI COLA of 1.2 percent.

Vote: 2-1 (Cogdill)

DSS Issue 2: In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) Caseload
 Action: Held open pending May Revision.

DSS Issue 3: Freeze State Participation in IHSS Provider Wages

Action: Rejected the budget proposal, including the trailer bill language, to freeze

state participation in IHSS provider wages and benefits.

Vote: 2-1 (Cogdill)

DSS Issue 4: Assessment of Quality Assurance (QA) Initiative
 Action: No action taken on this informational item.

• DSS Issue 5: Update on the Implementation of Direct Deposit

Action: No action taken on this informational item.

DSS Issue 6: Adult Protective Services

Action: No action taken on this informational item.

• DSS Issue 7: Community Care Licensing Facilities Inspections Action: 1) Approved the budget request as modified by the April Finance Letter for \$2.5 million (\$2.4 million General Fund) and 34.5 positions; and 2) rejected the proposed trailer bill language and approved instead trailer bill language suspending the trigger requirement for one year, and requiring DSS to propose alternative trailer bill language by February 1, 2008 that reflects better indicators to trigger increased licensing visits as a result of increases in facility citations and to work with legislative staff, the LAO, and interested stakeholders in developing the alternative language.

Vote: 2-0

DSS Issue 8: Licensing Reform Automation
 Action: Held open pending release of the CCL report due April 1, 2007 and additional fiscal and timing information on DSS' IT Strategic Plan.

• DSS Issue 9: County Costs for Operating Social Services Programs **Action**: Held open pending May Revision.

0530 Health and Human Services Agency – Office of System Integration (OSI)

OSI Issue 1: Statewide Automated Welfare System (SAWS)
 Action: Held open pending May Revision.

• OSI Issue 2: County Equipment Replacement and User Support **Action:** Held open pending May Revision.

 OSI Issue 3: Case Management, Information and Payrolling System (CMIPS) II Procurement

Action: Held open pending May Revision.